

Special Notices.

**THE COMMOTION CAUSED BY THE STATEMENT OF
A PHYSICIAN.**

An unusual article from the Rochester, N. Y. Democrat and Chronicle was published in this paper on Saturday, and was the cause of much conversation in this city during the day, both in professional circles and on the street. Apparently it caused even more commotion in Rochester, as the following from the same paper shows:

Dr. J. B. Heslin, who is well known not only in Rochester, but in nearly every part of America, sent an extended article to this paper a few days since, which was duly published, detailing his remarkable experience with "Bright's disease," as it is called. "The article of yours," Doctor has created quite a whirlwind. Are the statements about the terrible condition you were in and the way you were rescued so such as you can sustain?" "Every one of them," was the only rational ones. Few people ever got so near the grave as I did at that time, and I am not surprised that the public think it marvelous. It was marvelous."

"Every one of them," would do you, a physician, come to be brought so low?"

"By neglecting the first and most simple symptoms. I did not think I was sick. It is true I had frequent headache; but I felt that was nothing serious. I had no back pain. I was ravenous the next; felt dull, indefinite pains, and my stomach was out of order, but I did not think it meant any thing serious."

"But have these common ailments anything to do with Bright's disease, which took more than a hold on you?"

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